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Council File No.

September 30, 2013

To All Interested Parties:

The City Council adopted the action(s), as attached, under Council File No. 11-1912-S1, at its meeting held September 17, 2013.



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COUNCIL FILE NUMBER 11-1912-S1 COUNCIL DISTRICT \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL APPROVAL DATE September 17, 2013 LAST DAY FOR MAYOR TO ACT SEP 30 2013

ORDINANCE TYPE:  Ord of Intent  Zoning  Personnel  General  
 Improvement  LAMC  LAAC  CU or Var Appeals - CPC No. \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJECT MATTER: AMENDING SECTIONS 20.36 AND 22.816 AND DELETING SECTION 22.801.2 OF THE LOS ANGELES ADMINISTRATIVE CODE REGARDING THE 2014 NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL ELECTIONS

	APPROVED	DISAPPROVED	
PLANNING COMMISSION	_____	_____	BY _____ CITY CLERK DEPUTY RECEIVED CITY CLERK'S OFFICE 2013 SEP 24 PM 3:22
DIRECTOR OF PLANNING	_____	_____	
CITY ATTORNEY	_____ X _____	_____	
CITY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER	_____	_____	
OTHER	_____	_____	

SEP 24 2013

DATE OF MAYOR APPROVAL DEEMED APPROVED OR \*VETO \_\_\_\_\_  
(\*VETOED ORDINANCES MUST BE ACCOMPANIED WITH OBJECTIONS IN WRITING PURSUANT TO CHARTER SEC. 250(b) (c))

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DATE RECEIVED FROM MAYOR SEP 24 2013 ORDINANCE NO. 182723  
 DATE PUBLISHED SEP 27 2013 DATE POSTED \_\_\_\_\_ EFFECTIVE DATE OCT 28 2013  
 ORD OF INTENT: HEARING DATE \_\_\_\_\_ ASSESSMENT CONFIRMATION \_\_\_\_\_  
 ORDINANCE FOR DISTRIBUTION: YES  NO

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**COUNCIL ACTION**

The City Council ADOPTED the following recommendation(s) contained in a COMMUNICATION FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY which were WAIVED, pursuant to Council Rule 17, by the Chair of the Education and Neighborhoods Committee, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE amending Section 20.36 and 22.816 and deleting Section 22.801.2 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code regarding the Neighborhood Council elections; and ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION.

11-1912-S1

**ADOPTED**

SEP 17 2013

**LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL**

**TO THE MAYOR FORTHWITH**

MAYOR WITH FILE

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, on March 19, 2013, City Council requested that the Office of the City Attorney prepare and present a draft ordinance granting authority to the City Clerk and the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment to administer jointly Neighborhood Council board members elections in 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, Article V in the Plan for a Citywide System of Neighborhood Councils should also be amended to reflect these changes to Neighborhood Council Elections.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Plan for a Citywide System of Neighborhood Councils is hereby amended as follows:

1. Article V of the Plan is amended in its entirety to read:

### **Neighborhood Council Elections**

#### **1. Compliance**

Neighborhood Councils that choose to elect their Governing Body will have their elections administered pursuant to Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 20.36.

#### **2. Governing Body Operations**

Neighborhood Councils shall be empowered to allocate the Governing Body seats, determine voting rights, including the allocation of different voting roles to different categories of Community Stakeholders, and establish other voting procedures, consistent with the Charter, this Plan and the Regulations that implement this Plan, and any procedures issued by the City Clerk or DONE. Any Governing Body structures and voting systems adopted should not limit broad participation by Community Stakeholders of a Neighborhood Council.

#### **3. Violations**

A violation of the election procedures shall constitute a violation of this Plan and may subject a Neighborhood Council to the decertification procedures set forth in Article VI of this Plan, either upon submission of a complaint as outlined in Article VI, Section 4 of this Plan, or by DONE filing a report with the Commission asking it to consider decertification, after having first taken steps in an effort to achieve compliance with the election procedures.

